REMARKS

Claims 4, 6, 8-11, 13, 15, 17, 21 and 22, as amended, remain herein.

The following amendments to the claims are supplemental to the amendments presented in the Amendment filed August 8, 2003.

Claim 6 has been amended to read "the sheet resistance of the LDD region is in the range of...".

Claim 10, last subparagraph, has been amended to read "W (μm) is the channel width of the channel region, and L (μm) is the channel length of the channel region."

Should the Examiner deem that any further action by the applicants would be desirable to place this application in even better condition for issue, the Examiner is requested to telephone applicants' undersigned representatives.

Respectfully submitted,

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